

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: Wouter E. Roorda, <i>et al.</i> | Examiner: Carlos A. Azpuru |
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Azpuru:

This responds to the Office Action dated April 29, 2009.